

A MAUI FLURRY

Activity in the Stock of a Small
Cape Estate.

CHINESE AND NATIVE OWNERS

Heavy Appreciation in Value—A Plantation
Once Abandoned—Weather—
A Shooting.

(Special Correspondence.)

MAUI, May 20.—Huelo plantation affairs are much talked about recently. A year or more ago a native "hui" at the head of which is J. K. Smythe, of Huelo, purchased the abandoned plantation, water rights and all, for \$7000. In this "hui" were seventy people, each agreeing to contribute \$100 each ultimately. Not long ago the "hui" leased their property to a Chinese company for twenty years with a privilege of an additional twenty. This Chinese company was recently offered \$50,000 for half their stock, capitalized at \$100,000. This offer they refused and since then have attempted to buy shares held by the native "hui," offering \$200, \$250 and \$300 a share. One owner in the "hui" offers to sell his one share for \$1000. However, no member of the hui can sell, according to their company agreement, except to members of the hui. In June, the Chinese Company—known as the Huelo Sugar Co.—will reorganize with their capital stock increased to \$300,000. The secret of all this business flurry is found in the rumor that Kihel plantation wishes to buy Huelo water.

Sheriff L. M. Baldwin has been in Hana during the week prosecuting a case in the local police court.

J. Neil, a luna on Hama plantation, shot a Japanese laborer in the leg on the 10th. Mr. Neil has been acquitted by Judge Joseph.

On the afternoon of the 15th, the postponed meeting of the Makawao teachers was held in the usual place—twenty pedagogues being in attendance. The program consisted of "Parker's Talks," discussed by Miss Crook, and a lesson in reading by Mr. C. W. Baldwin, who had a class of his pupils present.

Mr. H. P. Baldwin is having a carriage road built from Brewer's, Makawao, to his Olinda residence. O. Burns has charge of the construction of this three or four miles of thoroughfare and began work on the 15th inst.

Tonight (the 20th) the Aloha Lodge, K. of P., of Kahului, will give a grand ball at Spreckelsville hall, Spreckelsville. A great, good time is anticipated.

Today a trustee meeting is being held at Pala on business concerning the construction of the new Maunaloa Seminary.

Manager D. C. Lindsay, of Pala, has been making a tour of plantations on Hawaii.

J. G. Anderson, Jr., of Salt Lake City, is visiting his uncle in Makawao. S. G. Alexander, of Oakland, has been at Haiku during the week.

A calendar of forty cases is to be tried at the next jury term in Wailuku, beginning June 7th.

The Board of Registration returned from Molokai on the 16th and report a small registration of voters. They sit again on the 22nd at Pala.

On the 17th the barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Dewars master, departed from Kahului in ballast for Port Townsend. On the same day the schooner Defender, Olesen master, departed for San Francisco with a cargo of sugar.

In the harbor of Kahului are now the schooner Mildred, schooner Alcide, schooner Olga, schooner William Bowden and the ship J. B. Thomas. The latter, after taking on board 7000 more bags of sugar, will depart probably next Wednesday.

Weather—1.40 in. of rain in Wailuku and 2 inches in Makawao. General rains.

MEMBERS' VIEW.

First Glimpse at the Kilohana Spring Exhibition.

The members' first view of the Kilohana Art League was held last evening and was a charming success artistically and socially. The attendance of the artists and art patrons and friends of the League and its members were out in full force. The ladies were gowned for evening and the gentlemen were in party dress. The new hall, in the Model block, next to the Progress block, on Upper Fort street, is a pretty home for Kilohana. The hall has been lighted very effectively. Excellent taste and fine discrimination were shown by the hanging committee.

There are 104 good pictures in the exhibition this time. Each one is worthy a place on the wall. The contributors are: Hitchcock, Miss Hoffman, Miss H. M. von Holt, H. Mott-Smith, Mrs. A. C. Campbell, Yeong Chung, Walter Pinkham, Mrs. H. Kelley, Mrs. Alfred Willie, Miss A. Parke, Mrs. C. F. Pond, Mrs. E. A. Jones, Philip H. Dodge, Miss Imgard Macfarlane, H. Mott, Helen Jordan and Augusta Graham. There is great variety in the work and there has been much thoughtful effort on the part of the exhibitors. Hitchcock has the greatest number of pictures. Nearly all of the authors have confined their attention to the Islands. The highest priced pictures of the catalogue are Hitchcock's "Konahuanui" (\$500) and H. Mott-Smith's "The Brook" (\$500). For a number of pieces no price is given. Several sales were made last evening. The exhibit is easily the most attractive that

has been offered under the auspices of the League. Improvement is noticed in the selection and work of all. In some cases extreme merit is shown. The hall will be open from 9 to 12 this forenoon and from 7 to 9 in the evening and the general public is invited to call and inspect the work of the artists.

FRANCE'S MINISTRY
CHANGED AGAIN.

PARIS, May 6.—M. Charles de Freycinet today tendered his resignation of the War Portfolio, to M. Dupuy, the Premier. A Cabinet meeting was immediately summoned, at which President Loubet was present, and M. Camille Krantz, at present Minister of Public Works, was appointed to succeed M. de Freycinet. The resignation of the Minister of War was a great surprise, but it is the general impression that he was anxious to escape a probable debate on the Dreyfus case in the near future.

AFTER 20 YEARS

Resident of a Score of
Years Passes Away.

Joaquim M. Camara—Aged 67—Father of a Merchant—Well Liked—Funeral Service.

Joaquim M. Camara, Sr., father of the well-known merchant, Maj. J. M. Camara, died in this city yesterday afternoon, aged 67 years. He had been suffering some years from an internal trouble, and an operation was the final resort to alleviate his ailment, which remedy was unavailing in spite of the efforts of the surgeon.

Mr. Camara came to this country about twenty years ago with the second company of Portuguese colonists from the Madeira Islands, and has, with the exception of one visit to his native land, been a resident of these Islands ever since.

Besides Maj. Camara he leaves a widow at Hilo and two daughters, who live in this city, Mrs. Henry Bell and Mrs. Marques. Mr. Camara has been well known in the Portuguese colony, and many friends mourn his loss.

Maj. Camara was at the encampment of his regiment at Remond Grove, and was hastily summoned to the bedside of his aged parent. He unfortunately arrived too late to be present before the death.

WILL BE MORE TRIALS.

Further Indictments Against Kahuku Tribesmen.

The Kahuku Japanese are not finished with yet. They will be in for another siege in the near future. Two other indictments charging murder in the first degree are still untried. These are on account of the two other Chinamen who were killed. Some of the defendants in the case just finished are named in one indictment and some in the other. In the two indictments together all of them are named. The case of the fourteen charged with rioting will also come up soon. It is probable that the present term of the Circuit Court will have to be continued on account of all these cases. The work of impaneling the jury to try the next indictment will probably begin next week.

A New Club

It is looking a considerable distance ahead, but it is well settled that a new club is to have quarters in the big modern block that is to be erected on Merchant street as a companion to the Judd building, and adjoining the recently completed four-story structure. The nucleus for the membership of the club will include about thirty business and professional men who are at present unattached so far as club is concerned. The new organization will have the entire fifth floor of the building for its home, and will be equipped in first-class style in every particular. The club will be conducted on the lines of similar organizations on the Mainland.

Electric Vehicles.

The Horseless Age, of New York City, says that Louis T. Grant, of Hilo, has been planning to provide Honolulu with electric hacks. The cars are to be followed by drays.

A CURE FOR CHRONIC DIARRHOEA.

I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have used all kinds of medicines for it. At last I found one remedy that has been a success as a cure, and that is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.—P. E. Grisham, Gaits Mills, Ia. For sale by Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., wholesale agents for H. I., and all druggists and dealers.

ON THE COURTS

Interest In The Lawn Tennis
Tourney Keeps up.

MEN PLAY LIVELY GAMES

Getting a Line on Form for the
Finals—Some Brisk Contests—
The Schedule.

Although it seemed for a time that the rain would prevent any tennis being played on Saturday, it cleared up nicely in time to leave the courts in fine condition. The second round of the preliminaries was played, and only one round now remains before the semi-finals. It seems certain at this stage of the tournament that the players in the semi-finals will be Frank Atherton, C. H. Cooke, E. R. Adams and C. E. Elston. Between these four there is not much to pick, as they are evenly matched. Both of the matches, however, will furnish royal sport, and the two players who face each other in the final contest will have earned the glory that is theirs.

The first match Saturday was between F. C. Atherton and Ernest Wedehouse. This was won by the former in two straight sets, 6-2, 6-3. The winner is a good all-round player, and at times his work is brilliant.

The second contest was a "family affair," the two players being S. G. and G. P. Wilder. It was hard-fought from start to finish, the three sets being necessary. The final score was 6-3, 6-8, 6-4. S. G. Wilder won.

The match between Donald Ross and E. R. Adams was interesting from the fact that the winner will figure in the semi-finals. Every point was closely contested and some elegant rallies ensued. The steady, unswerving play of Adams finally gave him the match, 7-5, 6-3.

The meeting of Elston and Brock was productive of much good tennis. The latter player did not play anything near the game of which he is capable in the first set. What he did not drive outside he knocked into the net. On the other hand, Elston was all over the court, and nothing seemed too difficult. In the second set Brock began to play in form, but he could not overcome his opponent's lead. The score in Elston's favor was, 6-1, 6-3.

C. H. Cooke and J. P. Cooke put up a pretty exhibition of the game. The latter played well, but the cool and sure play of C. H. won the contest. The winner is a player that never gives up, and the semi-finals match between C. H. Cooke and Frank C. Atherton will be well worth seeing.

D. H. Hitchcock won from P. M. Lansdale in a match which tends to prove that steady play will overcome erratic brilliancy. Some of Lansdale's strokes could not have been surpassed, but he generally lost the point by missing an easy one. Hitchcock's game did not vary. It was good all ways, never brilliant. But his steadyness won with a score of 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

Maurice Damon defaulted to George Waterhouse, and C. H. Norton defaulted to Al Waterhouse.


Hilo Items.

Mr. Hochstet, who is assistant engineer with Mr. Klugel in the surveys for the Hilo Railway Company, has, during the past week, been running lines from Waialea in a southeasterly direction into Puna. It is probable that at a point on this line some distance below Peter Lee's, the road will branch toward the Puna plantation in one direction and toward Olua in the other.

Congressman Modell of Wyoming writes Attorney J. C. Pratt that he hopes to visit the Hawaiian Islands in the very near future. If he does, he will, without doubt, come to Hilo. Mr. Modell was formerly closely connected with public land administration in the United States (assistant commissioner), and the information he will gain here, with the influence which he will exercise will doubtless have a most beneficial effect upon the Congressional enactments of the next session upon matters Hawaiian.

Mr. and Mrs. Waloron, of the Volcan House, will give a ball at that place some time this month, or early next month. It is not as yet determined just when. The ball is given for the Olua coffee planters especially, though a large delegation from Hilo will be expected. Quite a number of the Oluanes will be going away next month, which accounts for the ball being given at this time.

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Women in Business

Business men often express the opinion that there is one thing which will prevent women from completely filling their place in the business world—they can't be depended upon because they are sick too often. It is true that many women are compelled to look forward to times when they are unable to attend to social or business duties. Their appearance plainly indicates their condition and they are reluctant to be seen, even by their friends. Read what a business woman says to such sufferers:

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